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SUBJECT: TIN PRODUCERS PLAN LOBBYING TRIP TO CANBERRA

REF: (A) JAKARTA 7351, (B) LONDON 6095

1. EMBECONOFF DISCUSSED POSSIBLE LOBBYING VISIT TO WASHINGTON WITH MAX SMITH, DIRECTOR FOR TIN, COMMODITIES DIVISION NO. 1, DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND RESOURCES.
2. SMITH SAID THAT HE WAS RATHER SURPRISED THAT THE SUBJECT OF A LOBBYING VISIT HAD COME UP AGAIN. HE SAID THAT HE HAD HEARD NOTHING ABOUT IT FROM THE AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY IN JAKARTA. HE ADDED HE COULD NOT UNDERSTAND WHY THE INDONESIANS AGAIN SEEMED TO VIEW THE MATTER WITH SUCH URGENCY AS HE HAD THOUGHT THAT THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MATTER HAD BEEN DEFUSED DURING THE NINTH ITC MEETING IN LONDON (REF B). SMITH ADDED THAT HE STRONGLY DOUBTED THAT ANYONE FROM CANBERRA WOULD "GO ALONG TO THE PARTY," ALTHOUGH PERHAPS G. THOMPSON IN WASHINGTON WOULD BE ASKED TO PARTICIPATE IN EVENT LOBBYING VISIT ACTUALLY COMES OFF.

3. SMITH SPECULATED THAT LATEST INDONESIAN MOVE WAS

DESIGNED PURELY TO FIT IN WITH THEIR TRAVEL PLANS AND
DID NOT REPRESENT A "PRODUCER GROUND-SWELL".
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